

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE** RECEIVED  
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Applicant: James Lesense Bush III et al. )  
Serial No.: 10/631,132 ) Group Art Unit: 2151  
Filing Date: July 31, 2003 ) Examiner: Dinh, Khanh Q  
Title: Automatic Negotiation Of An )  
Internet Protocol Address for A )  
Network Connected Device )

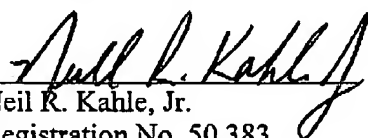
Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Arlington VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petition for a three month extension of time to and including January 12, 2009 (January 10, 2009 falling on a Weekend) to respond to a Final Office Action mailed on July 10, 2008, and an Advisory Action mailed on September 8, 2008. Lexmark International, Inc., assignee of the present application, authorizes the Commissioner to charge the fee of \$1,110.00 for the three month extension of time to the account of Lexmark International, Inc., Deposit Account No. 12-1213.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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